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SUBJECT: GOH DENIES LUCKNER CAMBRONNE'S AUTHORITY TO
TESTIFY ON GOH RELATIONS WITH NATIONAL BANK

1. FOREIGN SECRETARY ADRIEN RAYMOND SEPT. 24 TOLD ME THAT
LUCKNER CAMBRONNE HAD TESTIFIED IN SOME U.S. COURT PROCEEDING,
APPARENTLY INVOLVING BYERS/AERO TRADE, CONCERNING THE
RELATIONSHIP BETWEEN GOH AND NATIONAL BANK OF REPUBLIC OF
HAITI. HE SAID CAMBRONNE WAS NOT QUALIFIED TO MAKE ANY
STATEMENT ON THIS SUBJECT AND HANDED ME FOLLOWING NOTE TO
THAT EFFECT:

2. "MR. CHARGE D'AFFAIRES A.I.,
I HAVE THE HONOR TO INFORM YOUR EXCELLENCY THAT
MR. LUCKNER CAMBRONNE HAS RECEIVED NO AUTHORIZATION FROM
THE HAITIAN GOVERNMENT TO MAKE DECLARATIONS CONCERNING
RELATIONS BETWEEN THE NATIONAL BANK OF THE REPUBLIC OF HAITI
AND THE GOVERNMENT OF THE REPUBLIC OF HAITI. FURTHERMORE,
WE MUST INFORM YOU THAT HIS STATEMENTS DO NOT CORRESPOND
AT ALL TO REALITY.

THE TITLES WHICH MR. CAMBRONNE POSSESSES WERE GRANTED
TO HIM BY THE HAITIAN GOVERNMENT ONLY TO ASSURE HIS SECURITY
AFTER, ACCORDING TO HIM, HE HAD BEEN THE SUBJECT OF THREATS.
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HE IS NOT AUTHORIZED TO SIGN ANY CONTRACT BINDING THE

HAITIAN GOVERNMENT BECAUSE HE DOES NOT HOLD PRESIDENTIAL
FULL POWERS FOR THIS PURPOSE. THAT EXCEEDS HIS AUTHORITY.
CONSEQUENTLY THE HAITIAN GOVERNMENT DECLINES ANY RESPONSIBILITY
IN THE EVENT THAT MR. CAMBRONNE SIGNED CONTRACTS OR UNDERTOOK
ENGAGEMENTS IN HIS NAME.

I TAKE THE OCCASION TO RENEW, MR. CHARGE D'AFFAIRES,
THE ASSURANCES OF MY HIGH CONSIDERATION.

SIGNED DR. ADRIEN RAYMOND"

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